

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<i>In re</i> Application of	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 3728
James Mathew HODGSON	)	
	)	Examiner: Melissa L. Lalli
Serial Number: 10/562,963	)	
	)	Attorney Reference: 005127.00587
Filed: November 20, 2006	)	
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For: ATHLETICS SHOE	)	

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**  
**& ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 29, 2009, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.